Application No.: 10/565,081 PATENT Docket No.: 59482.21840 Customer No. 30734

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Thomas HUBER, et al.)	Confirmation No.: 3688
Application No.: 10/565,081)	Group Art Unit: 3644
Filed: August 30, 2006)	Examiner: Brian M. O'Hara

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THE CARGO DEPARTMENT OF AN AIRCRAFT

AMENDMENT TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

This is in response to the Non-Final Office Action dated December 3, 2010, to which a response is due without an extension by March 3, 2011. In view of the following amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the outstanding rejections and allow all claims pending in the application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.